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<b>FOR:</b>	Low-Cost Room Temperature Electrochemical Carbon Monoxide and Toxic Gas Sensor with Humidity Compensation Based on Protonic Conductive Membranes		

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As set forth in the original reissue application, consistent with the Reissue Application Declaration By The Assignee filed originally with this reissue application, this reissue application does not seek to enlarge the scope of the claims of the original patent.

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